

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the paragraph following the words **FIELD OF INVENTION** on page 1 as follows:

The instant invention relates generally to toothbrushes, but may also find a useful application in other types of methods differing from the type described herein. [and] More specifically it relates to an assembly which may contain a combination of appealing qualities. [to a child and thereby may promote a superior way to achieve desirable habits associated with good oral hygiene.

Please add the following paragraph on page 10, which follows the **DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS** starting on page 8 as follows:

It will be understood that each of the elements described above, or two together, may also find a useful application in other types of methods differing from the type described above.

All of the above language is added and found support in the parent case 08/777/032, originally filed specification page 32, first paragraph. No new matter has been introduced.

Please amend the second paragraph on page 3, following the words **SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION** as follows:

A second object is to provide an assembly, comprising a toothbrush having a first and second end, [and a bristle head being positioned on the first side of the first end,] and a stand for receiving the second end of the brush handle therein, thereby retaining the handle in a vertical position when the stand is placed on a horizontal surface.

Please amend the paragraph on page 13 following the words **ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

An assembly comprising a toothbrush having a first and second end [,and a bristle head being positioned on the first side of the first end]. A stand in the shape of a pair of feet retains the brush in a vertical position when the stand is placed on a horizontal surface. For additional support, a base may be incorporated with the stand.

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